



Cape Bible Chapel (Cape Girardeau, MO) – Lead Pastor

The Big Picture

Cape Bible Chapel (capebiblechapel.org) is a solid and faithful non-denominational church of 400 prayerfully seeking a Lead Pastor to preach the Word of God in an expositional manner, raise up the next generation of Gospel workers and shepherd the Body of Christ for the Glory of God.

The Church

The vision God has given Cape Bible Chapel is to be *“A gospel-centered community of worshippers on mission to make and multiply disciples of Christ in our neighborhoods, the nations, and the next generation.”* The fellowship is striving to know Christ and to make Him known locally and globally. This includes not only a vibrant children’s, youth and adult ministry but also a passionate college ministry and pastoral residency program. These ministries have been a God-ordained pipeline to impact the next generation and send them out to reach the world for Christ.

The Candidate

The Lead Pastor will lead Cape Bible Chapel through gifted exposition of the Word of God that is inspired, powerful, relevant, understandable, applicable, and grace based. He will direct the implementation of the vision of the Chapel through strong, servant leadership and effective administration. He will serve as an elder and foster a collegial relationship among the pastoral staff and the elder board. He will lead in shepherding the local body of Christ.

The Qualifications

The successful candidate will have a vibrant, mature, and transparent relationship with the Lord Jesus Christ, meet the biblical qualifications of an elder, have demonstrated giftedness as an expositor of the Word of God, have demonstrated passion for outreach to a lost world, have a shepherd’s heart, have at least five years of experience in a teaching or preaching role, and have demonstrated leadership and administration in a ministry role. In addition, the ideal candidate will have at least a master’s degree from an accredited seminary.

The Community

Cape Girardeau, MO is a thriving community of about 40,000 residents. Together with surrounding communities, the local population is about 100,000 people. It is the home of Southeast Missouri State University as well as two full-service hospitals: Southeast Hospital and St. Francis Medical Center. It is a family-oriented community with great schools, parks and other recreational activities.

The Process

Please look over the job description and the church website. Along with your resume please answer these three questions:

Why do you believe that you might be a good fit for Cape Bible Chapel?

Describe your experiences in ministry and how you may be qualified to serve as the Senior Pastor at Cape Bible Chapel?

In just a few sentences please give a summary of your theology and how that is in line with the doctrinal statement of Cape Bible Chapel.

Please send your resume and the answers to these questions to Jason@LancasterSearch.com